

THE GAZETTE.

SATURDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 5.

ADVERTISING.—Mr. Stewart, the New York merchant, is by odds the largest advertiser in the dry goods trade in New York; and we are not certain that his annual expenses for this purpose do not equal the bills paid for the same service by all of his competitors added together.

This may, and doubtless will, seem strange to those who have not looked into the matter, but it is nevertheless the exact truth; and what a lesson does the fact teach to merchants and others who are struggling to establish a business or to retain one already established! If Mr. Stewart, with his immense resources, his unequalled prestige, and his widely established trade, finds it necessary or profitable to liberally employ printer's ink to enable him to hold his own in these days, how much more essential and important that the same potent agency should be employed by those who are not possessed of his other varied facilities for bringing customers to their doors? We leave our merchants and other business men to supply the answer. They will at least find the questions worthy their attention and thoughtful consideration. — *Washington Star.*

JACOB HOFFMAN, of Martinsville, Pa., has printed before the scriptures were arranged in verses. It contains 200 woodcut illustrations. It is by far the oldest Bible which has ever been brought to our notice. There is a complete register or index of the Bible; the reckoning of time from the time of Adam to Christ. — Also, a short summary of the Holy Scriptures, and certain concordances, arguments, and references. Printed at Zurich, by Christoff Froehner, on the 16th day of March, 1539.

NEW BOOKS AT FRENCH'S, No. 95 King street.

A Key to the Knowledge of Church History, (Ancient) by John Henry Blunt, M.A.; \$1.

A Key to the Knowledge and Use of the Book of Common Prayer, by J. H. Blunt, M.A.; \$1.

The Importance of Ascertaining the Historical Truth Concerning Jesus, by W. H. Turner; \$1.50.

Ancient Classics for English Readers, edited by Rev. W. Lucas Collins, M.A.

Now ready, (Homer) The Odyssey, The Iliad, Herodotus, and Cæsar, by the same author; a hand book of reference and quotation, arranged alphabetically, with a copious index of words and ideas; two styles of binding; \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Episodes in an Obscure Life, being experiences in the Tower Hamlets, by a curate, handsomely illustrated; paper covers, 75; bound, \$1.25.

Good Stories for Young People, by popular authors; profusely illustrated; \$1.75.

Good Words for the Young, 1870, English copy, 1 vol., complete, \$4; handsomely bound, The Sunday Magazine complete, 1 volume, English copy, 1870; \$4.50.

The Little Match Girl, a poem, by a lady of Charleston, S.C.; illustrated by the author; 25c.

In Memoriam, a sermon preached on the death of General Robert E. Lee, in Christ Church, Alexandria, Va., by the rector, Rev. Randolph H. McKim. Published by the unanimous request of the Vestry of Christ Church. Only a few copies left; price 10c—mailed to any part of the country on receipt of 15c.

New Books and Magazines of the

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE AT REASONABLE RATES, 60 sacks Old Government Java, Lagayra and Rio Coffee.

40 boxes medium and fine Chewing Tobacco.

100 lbs medium and choice P. M. Sugar.

40 lbs refined sugar.

60 boxes Factory and English Dairy Cheese.

60 lbs Sides and Shoulder Bacon.

60 lbs Fine Old Whiskey.

10 half chests choice Oolong, Japan, Imperial and P. T. Tea.

A full assortment of selected goods, at wholesale and retail, by **R. M. LAWSON**, nov 3 Successor to Brewis & Lawson.

HENRY STRAUSS

CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES.

LOW PRICES.

Northwest corner of King and Royal streets, and 92 King street.

sep 16—17

TRAVELLING SHIRTS!

Plain and Fancy colors; very desirable.

CHAS. W. GREEN'S, 68 King street.

FISHER'S unrivalled MINCE MEAT, by using which housekeepers can save much trouble. For sale by **G. W. RAMSAY**, oct 21 147 King street.

GENTLEMEN'S HOSIERY.

An elegant lot on hand. Also best French Corsets just received at

MRS. C. L. SIMPSON'S, oct 26

CLOAKS!

Cloaks made at the shortest notice, and trimmings furnished if desired. Children's suits made. Also all kinds of stitching done.

oct 26 **MRS. C. L. SIMPSON**

NEW YORK BUCKWHEAT—55 barrels Standard Buckwheat flour received, this day per steamer from New York and for sale by

J. CLINTON MILBURN, oct 26

SCISSORS! Rodgers' make—genuine article—received to-day at

JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS, oct 24 63 E. 7th street.

STOVE POLISH AND BRUSHES—best kinds—call and see.

J. T. OREIGHTON & SON, oct 26 88 King street.

CALIFORNIA WINES AND LIQUORS.

Callisto, Cognac, Port, Brandy, Angelica and Sherry Wines, for sale by the case or bottle.

oct 25 **F. G. SWAIN**, 22 Royal st.

HOG FRED—For sale a cheap article for hog food at the

PIONEER MILLS, oct 27—60 1/2

A PRIME LOT OF NEW YORK STATE BUTTER received to-day and for sale by

WM. F. BROOKES, oct 21 179 King street.

RODGERS' TABLE CUTLERY—Another supply of the above Cutlery just opened at 81 King street.

oct 26 **J. T. OREIGHTON & SON**

NEW BUCKWHEAT FLOUR received and for sale by

AVERY & DAVIDSON, nov 1 226 King st., cor. Alfred.

15 BAGS COFFEE—Rio, Lagayra, Maracaibo and Java, received and for sale by

AVERY & DAVIDSON, oct 13 226 King st., cor. Alfred.

LACE CURTAINS.

We have just opened some very desirable goods in this line.

oct 19 **R. L. WOOD**, 62 King street.

FLORIDA WATER—a delightful perfume—just received and for sale by

WARFIELD & HALL, oct 24

WARFIELD'S CO. D. WATER SELF

WASHINGTON SOAP for sale by

GEO. MCBURNEY & SON, nov 3

JUST RECEIVED—A very fine lot of Plain and Sugar-cured Hams and Shoulders, for sale by

GEO. MCBURNEY & SON, oct 18

BADEN SUITINGS, beautiful shades, for ladies' suits just received at

WITMER & SLAYMAKER'S, nov 2

A XLE GREASE—Star brand—for sale by

AVERY & DAVIDSON, oct 18 226 King st., cor. Alfred.

STRICTLY PURE CASK APPLE CIDER for sale by

GEO. MCBURNEY & CO., nov 2

FRESH GROUND BUCKWHEAT just received and for sale by

GEO. MCBURNEY & SON, oct 26

COFFEE MILLS—Every kind and style, at

OAKLIN & SONS, oct 25

To the Voters of Alexandria County.

FELLOW CITIZENS.—A sense of duty as an American citizen, and as a citizen of Alexandria county, having interests corresponding with yours, impels me to announce myself as an independent candidate for the office of Clerk of the County. It is doubtless known to you that I allowed my name to be used in connection with the office in the convention called by the Republicans of the County, in which convention I did not receive the nomination for said office, but another member of the party was nominated over the several other candidates for the office, (there being five or six named thereof.) As a matter of course, I bowed to the action of the convention. A new convention was called of which I had no notification, to which I was entitled as a member of the Republican party, and a candidate for the said office. Not, therefore, being a party to the second convention, I feel myself relieved from the action of the first, and, being informed by many of my political friends, I announce myself as an independent Candidate for the said office, confiding in the ultimate decision of an intelligent people for a full endorsement of my course.

I trust that a considerate public will charitably construe what I am about to say in regard to my claim to the office, and will not consider me a candidate in allusions to myself. In 1861, when all around us was strife and confusion, I was called by the unanimous vote of the Republican party (the only party participating in the election at that time) from the private walks of life to serve in the responsible position of Clerk of the County Court, then embracing the whole County, upon the duties of which, I may say, I entered with many misgivings as to the propriety of their choice. Having, however, finally consented to serve, and then appearing at that time to be the only person who they deemed so competent to fill the office, I entered upon and assiduously applied myself to the duties of the office on the 10th of December, 1861, and the County Court was then reorganized under what was known as the "Repeal Government of Virginia." Wheeling, Virginia, being then the seat of government of the State. I served the unexpired term for which I was elected, and was again elected in 1864 for the full term of six years, which term I have since served. In the meantime, I have been appointed, upon the organization of the County Court, under the present constitution and laws of the State, in May last, the Judge of the County Court, exercising the power conferred upon him, appointed me to the position of Clerk of the County Court, and I have since that time been discharging the duties of the office, and have been successful in my efforts to improve the condition of the County, and to bring about a more efficient administration of the law.

In thus announcing myself as an independent candidate, I indicate no spirit of antagonism to Republican principles, for in my earliest desire that its true principles may prevail, I bow as second to none, but I do feel that it is incumbent on the party and on myself as a member thereof to see to it that persons are selected for the office of Clerk of the County Court, whose competency there can be no doubt.

Now, fellow citizens, how is it with the present nominee? I have not intimate acquaintance with him, but he is competent to fill it? Can he make himself competent without injury to the great interests you have at stake? If you decide the questions according to your own judgment I have no doubt as to the result of the election on Tuesday the 8th inst.

To the colored portion of the community, permit me to say—educate and prepare yourselves for the various positions in the body politic, to which you are a-pire, and in good time an appreciative people will delight to honor you.

nov 2—18th

DANCING ACADEMY.

Prof. SHELTON respectfully gives notice that he has engaged the

HARMONIE HALL, Fairfax street, over Adams' Express office, and will commence a class for

TUITION IN DANCING, on Wednesday, Nov. 24, at 7:30 p. m.

DAYS OF TUITION.

Mondays and Wednesdays. Ladies and Children 3 to 5; Gentlemen 7:30 to 9:30 p. m.

Terms: \$12 per quarter of 24 lessons. For further particulars address Prof. GEORGE T. SHELTON, 1004 P street, Washington, D. C. or J. Middleton White, Alexandria, oct 24

TO AGRICULTURISTS.

ROBERT'S GENUINE PROSPERITY-PERUVIAN GUANO, AA. \$35 per ton of 2,000 pounds.

SOLUBLE AMMONIATED SUPERPHOSPHATE OF LIME, \$35 per ton of 2,000 pounds. All put up in strong casks. For sale by

HOOE, WEDDERBURN & CO., sep 19

ROBERT & BAKER'S SEWING MACHINES. We have on hand a large assortment of the above well known machines; also a very good second hand machine of the same make. We desire to call particular attention to the new style "Box Machine," to work by hand. Machines sold on accommodation terms; also to rent.

oct 20 **F. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.**

CHILDREN'S WORSTED HOSIERY.

Large stock of the above now in store—plaid, fancy mixed and plain colors. These goods are very cheap, and have been carefully selected to meet the wants of a first class trade.

oct 24 **C. C. BERRY'S**, 72 King st.

OFFICE ALEXA. WATER COMPANY.

Alexandria, Nov. 2, 1870.

Notice to Consumers of Mount Vernon Water: Your water rents for the November term are now due, and payable at the office of the company, No. 75 Prince street, where you will please make prompt payment.

nov 2—31 **T. D. FENDALL**, Treasurer.

ALEXANDRIA WATER COMPANY.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Alexandria Water Company will be held at their office, No. 75 Prince street, on MONDAY, the 7th day of November, at 11 o'clock a. m.

nov 2—11 **T. D. FENDALL**, Treasurer.

ORANGE, ALEXA. & MANASSAS R. R.

Alexandria, Va., Nov. 2, 1870.

Notice: The soldiers of the old army invited to meet in Richmond, Nov. 3, will be passed over this road at half fare, that is one fare for the round trip.

nov 2 **J. M. BROADUS, G. T. A.**

BLACK VELVETEEN—NONPAREIL FINISH.

From \$1.25 up. These goods are of a beautiful color and finish, and cheap as can be proven to any one who will examine them.

oct 28 **WITMER & SLAYMAKER**

NOTICE—There will be a meeting of all persons interested in the formation of a building association, at the school House, on Pitt street, between Gibbon and Franklin, on FRIDAY EVENING, November 4th, at 7 o'clock.

nov 2—31

TRIMMINGS! TRIMMINGS!

Satin, Velvet Ribbons, Velveteens, Braids, Gimp Laces, and Cloak and Dress Buttons, with great variety of other Trimmings, at

oct 28 **C. C. BERRY'S**, 72 King st.

CASSIMERE! CASSIMERE!—Just received more of the K. T. and F. Cassimere, in the heavy as well as the diagonal; also some very cheap Black Doeskin and Blue, Black and Dahlia Beavers for overcoats.

oct 29 **WITMER & SLAYMAKER**

WALKER'S CALIFORNIA VINEGAR BITTERS, containing no alcohol or other stimulants; highly recommended for Dyspepsia, etc. One gross just received and for sale at the lowest price by

oct 28 **E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO**

AXES! Just received, Man's, Stewart's, Hurb's, Hammond's, Leveritt's and other makes of Axes, all of best quality—wholesale and retail

oct 26 **J. T. OREIGHTON & SON**, 55 King street.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

LADIES' BUTTON BOOTS.

A fine stock: French Kid, Velvet, English and French Cloth, Kid Foxed, Russia Foxed, Turkey Morocco Foxed and other new styles, which cannot be surpassed for beauty, durability and cheapness.

At **WADDEY'S**, 74 King street.

LADIES' WALKING BOOTS.

A large stock, and a great variety of new styles, French Kid, Goat, Russia Leather, Lasting Goat, Foxed, Lasting French Kid, Foxed, Lasting Kid, Foxed, Plain Goat Morocco and Calf Boots, at very low prices.

At **WADDEY'S**, 74 King street.

LADIES' LASTING BOOTS.

A great many new styles, handsome and very cheap.

At **WADDEY'S**, 74 King street.

LADIES' PARLOR AND TOILET SLIPPERS.

Ladies' French Kid Broadways, Ladies' Lasting Broadways, Ladies' White Kid Maria Antoinette, Ladies' Victoria, Ladies' Paris, Ladies' Lasting Toilets, Ladies' Cassimere, Serge and Carpet Slippers, at very low prices.

At **WADDEY'S**, 74 King street.

LADIES' AND MISSES RIDING BOOTS.

At **WADDEY'S**, 74 King street.

MISSES' WALKING AND SCHOOL BOOTS.

A fine stock of new styles, beautiful, durable and very cheap.

At **WADDEY'S**, 74 King street.

MISSES' FINE BOOTS.

In every style, quality and price.

At **WADDEY'S**, 74 King street.

CHILDREN'S WALKING AND SCHOOL BOOTS.

The largest stock and greatest variety in the city. Prices low.

At **WADDEY'S**, 74 King street.

INFANTS' FANCY BOOTS & SLIPPERS.

A fine stock, in every color, style and quality, at greatly reduced prices.

At **WADDEY'S**, 74 King street.

EDWIN C. BURT'S FINE SHOES FOR LADIES.

At **WADDEY'S**, 74 King street.

GENTLEMEN'S FINE DRESS BOOTS AND SHOES.

A large stock of new styles, very handsome, of the best quality, and at low prices.

WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

BOYS' AND YOUTH'S FINE CALF AND KIP BOOTS.

At very low prices.

WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

RUBBERS, for Ladies, Misses and Children.

Men's Arctic, Congress and Plain Cloth Overshoes.

WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

GENTS' TOILET SLIPPERS.

A large stock: Goat, Calf and Morocco Opera, Cloth, Carpet and Plush Plain Slippers, very cheap.

WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

BOYS' AND YOUTH'S SLIPPERS, for house and street, very cheap.

oct 19—17 **WADDEY'S**, 74 King st.

NEW PIANO & MUSIC STORE.

149 King street.

[Near St. Asaph street,] Alexandria, Virginia.

WM. KNABE'S GOLD MEDAL PIANOS.

WM. HEINEKAMP'S first-class BALTIMORE PIANOS. Every instrument warranted for five years. Sold at factory prices on accommodation terms usual in other cities.

PARLOR ORGANS from the best makers. I will also furnish PIANOS from any maker in the country, for which persons may have a preference, at factory prices. I hope thereby to leave no cause for those who have at heart the interest of Alexandria to buy away from home.

I have also PIANOS from first-class makers, that have been out of repair, for sale at very low prices. Every instrument warranted.

Also the following:

Violins, Guitars, Flutes, Flutinas, Accordions, Concertinas, Violoncellos, Banjos, Violina Bows, Bridges, Pins, Rosin, Mout Organs, &c.

Best quality Violin and Guitar Strings. Instrumental and Vocal Sheet Music, Instruction Books and Music paper. Orders for Music supplied and filled at the shortest notice.

My facilities for repairs of Pianos, Organs, Accordions, Violins, &c., are much enlarged, and satisfaction guaranteed.

Pianos, Organs, &c., for Rent. Also, tuned and packed. [Jan 10] **V. BECKER**.

JANNEY'S MEDICAL COLUMN.

We would call the particular attention of our patrons and the public generally to the following specialties:

OLD DOMINION TONIC BITTERS, for Dyspepsia, Heartburn, Weakness and Debility. As a Tonic, Alterative and Diuretic they stand unequalled, and are a sure preventive of Ague and Fever and all Bilious Diseases. Our unprecedented sale of the above preparation and the large extent of country over which they have been so soon become known and favorably received, testify to the genuine merit of the medicine. In quart bottles at \$1 each.

PETECTORAL COUGH SYRUP, for the instant relief and speedy cure of Coughs, Colds and Incipient Consumption. Consumptives in all stages of the disease will find great relief from its use. For infants and children suffering with colds and troubled with coughs, it will be found a most excellent and harmless remedy, affording speedy relief. Those advanced in life, subject to a dry hacking cough, will obtain great relief from its use. Price 25c per bottle.

The above are our own preparations, manufactured with great care from the choicest materials, and are confidently recommended for the diseases indicated. A liberal discount to the trade. For sale by wholesale and retail at our Drug Warehouse, No. 145 King street, Alexandria, Va.

oct 24 **JANNEY & CO.**

JOHN A. FIELD, (Successor to Wm. Buckingham)

Manufacturer and Dealer in

CIGARS, TOBACCO, SNUFF, PIPES, &c., nov 71 King street.

Give me a call. oct 6—17

OFFICE O. A. & M. R. CO., Alexandria, Va., Oct. 21, 1870.

NOTICE—The ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders of the Orange, Alexandria & Manassas Railroad Company, in Alexandria, on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd day of November next, at 12 o'clock m.

By order of the Directors:

L. W. KEID, Secretary.

The transfer books will be closed from the 8th of November until the adjournment of the above meeting.

oct 21—eod

NATTAN'S CRYSTAL DISINFECTANT FOR THE RAILROAD. Clear and harmless as water. A perfectly clear preparation for restoring to the hair its natural color; to eradicate and prevent the forming of dandruff; to stimulate the growth of the hair. As a simple and elegant dressing of the hair, any preparation now offered to the public.

oct 24 **WARFIELD & HALL**, Druggists, Corner Prince and Fairfax sts.

SEAMLESS KID GLOVES!

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Just received a full supply of the above celebrated Gloves, in all colors. Every pair warranted, at

nov 2 **C. C. BERRY'S**.